A Sad Occurance.

As the people of our vicinity were celebrating the 4th, at our sister village, Danville, a half mile north of us, they were horror stricken by the news that Zack Hibbets had shot William Burris. On arriving at the spot, found it to be true. The cause was an old grudge. They had met and quarreled in the saloon just before and had some knocks and were parted, and Hibbets left saying he would go and get old Betsey, refering to his gun, and he did and came back to Main Street, and as Burris started across to his office he saw Hibbets coming towards him with his gun and he started and run but just as he reached the corner of his office he shot him through the heart and he fell forwards on his face and only breathed twice. Hibbets was taken in custody by the marshal and put in the lockup. He is a man 66 years old and came very near shooting a young man some two years ago.

Burris was 50 years old the 19th of last April. He was a lawyer. He was buried on Thursday. He leaves a wife and four daughters and one son to mourn his loss. His wife and daughters belong to the Brethren church, and the Brethren that have been at our place will remember him as he was always friendly to our ministers and encouraged church work, although he was not a member of any church. The funeral services were conducted by the Rev. Russell, of the M. E. church and the writer, to a very large audience. He was a member of the Knights of Honor, in which order he was buried.

This has cast quite a gloom over our vicinity. Such is the outcome of envy and revenge. Neither ever rights our wrongs nor comforts our sorrow, but makes them harder and heavier to bear.

ISAAC ROSS.

To the Brethren Churches of Kansas.

Vol. 9, No. 28, of the EVANGELIST has an appeal for contributions, etc., to send a delegate to the National Convention, Sept. 21st, at Ashland, Ohio. Would it not show a great lack of interest on our part to send but one delegate? We should send at least four. North eastern, north western, south eastern and south western Kansas should each send a delegate and can easily do so, by the churches in each part of the state as named, joining together. In south western Kansas there are five churches and about 150 members. We can send a delegate and are now trying to effect an arrangement to that end. Will the other parts of the states do likewise? Our convention should have all the delegates we can get there in order to do efficient work.

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Hurry and Dispatch.

Among the many causes of poor and inefficient work is the habit of hurry, which takes possession of some busy people. Having or imagining they have more to do in a given time than can be done properly, they grow confused, agitated, and nervous; and, under this pressure, they proceed with the work in hand without requisite deliberation and care, perhaps omitting parts of it—sometimes important parts—and producing at last an imperfect and inferior performance, which can neither be permanent nor satisfactory.

There is hardly any employment, from the simplest manual work to the most complex and difficult mental labor, that does not suffer from this cause. The dwelling house in process of building is to be finished at a certain time. With proper forethought and system it would have been done, but the time approaches and the work is still incomplete. The future occupants are impatient, the contractor is anxious, the workmen are driven, the work is hurried through, and annoyance, discomfort, and sometimes danger ensue, and repairs are soon found necessary. The business man undertakes more than he can manage, the days are not long enough for his needs, he is agitated by the constan pressure, driven by conflicting claims, his business suffers for the want of a cool and clear head, his health suffers from continual and unrelaxed exertion, his family suffers from his deterioration, and general disaster ensues. The physician, with many other calls to make, hurries through the visit, neglecting some important symptom, and his patient dies; the lawyer hurries through his plea, and loses his case: the preacher hurries through the preparation of his sermon, and fails to make an impression; the artist hurries on his picture to completion, and his best conception is not there; the teacher hurries through a prescribed course of instruction, and the class is left destitute of the more important elements of knowledge. It is not too much to say that a large proportion of the unhappiness, the ignorance, the loss of property, and even the loss of life, that is endured in the world is to be directly traced to the hurry and drive which characterize so much of the labor performed.

Many persons not only drift into these hurried ways, but pride themselves upon them. They boast of their speed, and contrast it with the slower measures of their more deliberate neighbors. They flatter themselves upon their dispatch, and hold themselves of more value on that account. Slowness in work, lingering or loitering over what is to be done, is not to be recommended.

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